

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Patuxent Research Refuge Interpretive Programs \$eptember, 2000



REGISTRATION

All programs are **FREE**, but require advance reservations.

Reservations are taken by calling **301-497-5887**. Please advise us of any special needs so that we may accommodate you. Visit us on the web:

patuxent.fws.gov

for program listings, upcoming events, and MORE! Become a "Friend of Patuxent" or a Refuge Volunteer and receive a monthly newsletter.

Programs held at the North Tract

The North Tract is located on Rt. 198 between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Rt. 32 in Laurel, Maryland.

Talons in the Sky

Sun., Sept 3, 8:30 - 11:30 am, ages 16 and older

Discover the role that birds of prey have in the ecosystem and learn to identify them on this 2 - 4 mile guided hike. Binoculars and field guides recommended.

Wildflower Walk

Sun, Sept 10, 8:30 - 11 am, ages 16 and older

Learn to identify late summer wildflowers on this guided walk. Bring field guides.

Butterflies: Nature's Festival of Colors

Sun., Sept 10, 9 - 11:30 am, ages 8 and older with adult
Discover the beauty and role of
butterflies in nature on this guided 3

butterflies in nature on this guided 3 mile hike. Field guides, binoculars and water recommended.

Bird Tour

Tues., Sept 19, 7 - 10 am, ages 16 and older

Identify fall migrant birds in several refuge habitats on this guided van tour. Field guides and binoculars recommended.

Bird Walk

Sun., Sept 24, 7 - 10 am, ages 16 and older

Identify fall migrants on this several mile guided walk. Field guides and binoculars recommended.

Talons in the Sky

Sun., Sept 24, 8:30 - 11:30 am, ages 16 and older

Discover the role that birds of prey have in the ecosystem and learn to identify them on this 2 - 4 mile guided hike. Binoculars and field guides recommended.

Programs held at the National Wildlife Visitor Center

The Visitor Center is located on Powder Mill Road between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Rt 197.

Bird Walk

Sat, Sept 9, 8:15 - 10 am, ages 16 and older

Search for early migrant birds of the Refuge on this guided walk. Binoculars and field guides recommended.

Basics of Birding

Two part program
Sat., Sept 16, 10 am - 12:30 pm,
continuing Sunday, Sept 17, 8 - 10
am, ages 16+

Discussion and walk focusing on bird identification, habitats, and equipment.